

HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

A-25. Persons at work 1 to 34 hours in all and in nonagricultural industries by reason for working less than 35 hours and usual full- or part-time status

(Numbers in thousands)

Reason for working less than 35 hours	August 2005					
	All industries			Nonagricultural industries		
	Total	Usually work full time	Usually work part time	Total	Usually work full time	Usually work part time
Total, 16 years and over	30,486	10,265	20,221	29,955	10,147	19,808
Economic reasons	4,402	1,652	2,750	4,332	1,638	2,694
Slack work or business conditions	2,608	1,285	1,322	2,567	1,274	1,293
Could only find part-time work	1,355	—	1,355	1,344	—	1,344
Seasonal work	221	149	72	203	146	57
Job started or ended during week	218	218	—	217	217	—
Noneconomic reasons	26,084	8,613	17,471	25,622	8,509	17,114
Child-care problems	699	47	652	697	47	650
Other family or personal obligations	4,876	687	4,189	4,806	677	4,129
Health or medical limitations	781	—	781	749	—	749
In school or training	5,175	105	5,070	5,130	105	5,025
Retired or Social Security limit on earnings	2,013	—	2,013	1,878	—	1,878
Vacation or personal day	5,271	5,271	—	5,229	5,229	—
Holiday, legal or religious	43	43	—	43	43	—
Weather-related curtailment	260	260	—	238	238	—
All other reasons	6,965	2,199	4,766	6,851	2,169	4,682
Average hours:						
Economic reasons	22.7	23.1	22.5	22.8	23.2	22.5
Other reasons	21.5	23.6	20.5	21.6	23.6	20.6

NOTE: Beginning in January 2005, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria.